



DECLARATION

I hereby declare that I am the Secretary for the Offices of Brian C. Kunzler, P.C.

I receive all incoming mail and docket all outstanding Office Actions, Notices of Allowance and Issue Fees Due, and other matters received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

I docketed the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fees Due for this case and assigned another secretary to prepare the related documents. Due to a miscommunication, the issue fee payment and documentation were prepared in a timely manner but not submitted to the USPTO. This is why we missed the filing deadline and unintentionally allowed this patent application to go abandoned.

DATED THIS 7th day of June, 2006.

Heather Babb